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The Transcript.

By Telegraph

3.00 O'CLOCK.

AT CANTON.

**Ex-President Harrison Sends A
Hearty Congratulatory Let-
ter To McKinley.**

NEW YORK WILL BE SOLID

**AND ENTHUSIASTIC FOR THE
TICKET SAYS BLISS. A DIS-
TINGUISHED DELEGA-
TION OF NEW YORK.
ERS GIVE CORDIAL
GREETINGS.**

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

Canton, June 20.—The early morning mail at McKinley's home brought stacks of congratulatory letters and the flow of telegraphic messages has not subsided in the least. One of the very first was an autographic letter from Ex-President Harrison, which reads: "My dear Governor, I beg to extend my hearty congratulations upon your nomination and to express my confidence that the people will in November ratify the work of the St. Louis convention. Please present my respects to Mrs. McKinley. Yours very truly, Benjamin Harrison."

The earliest delegation to arrive this morning was a special train filled with distinguished New Yorkers. They walked informally to McKinley's home, which had not been put in order after last night's enthusiasm. They were greeted cordially at the door step and were invited inside. The delegation was headed by Cornelius N. Bliss, Gen. Horace Porter, Gen. Anson McCook and S. V. R. Cruger.

Cornelius N. Bliss said to an Associated Press representative that New York would undoubtedly be solid and enthusiastic for McKinley although it was certain that none of the candidates mentioned for Vice Presidency in the Empire state could possibly have carried the united party strength.

A gentleman near referred Bliss to Milholland's address in presenting Warner Miller to the gathering in front of McKinley's home last night and speaking of him as the next Governor of New York. Bliss said he thought it too early for the consideration of that subject.

The commander of the loyal legion of Ohio has written McKinley saying "while politics by organized law has no place in this order there is no prohibition against the expression of natural pride, when the people of the United States thrice make a requital upon the Ohio commander for chief magistrate of the republic." Yours truly, W. H. Chamberlain.

A SCHOOL TEACHER SHOT

And instantly killed by a Sewing Machine Agent in Delaware.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

WILMINGTON, Del., June 20.—Frank Thomas, a sewing machine agent shot and instantly killed Ambrose Wilson, a school teacher on the platform of the Cambridge and Bedford R. R. station at Linkwood, Del. today. Wilson was sitting on the platform when Thomas approached him and drawing a revolver shot him in the mouth.

The ball passed through his brain, and penetrated his brain. Thomas immediately drove to Cambridge and surrendered himself to the sheriff. Both parties belong to good families. A quarrel was said to have taken place between the two men a few days ago and the shooting is supposed to be the sequel.

NEBRAKA TORNADO.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

REPUBLICAN CITY, Neb., June 20.—A terrible wind storm passed over this section last night and did much damage, causing the loss of several lives. All places affected are not yet heard from but in one township E. P. Duncan's residence was completely demolished and the debris strewn in all directions. Mrs. Duncan was killed instantly and Mr. Duncan and three children were badly hurt and may die.

MURDERED BY TRAMPS.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

ST. PAUL, June 20.—John Paul and Jacob Hayes of Wyoming, Minn., were murdered by unknown tramps who also severely injured Dr. Foster of St. Paul. Foster wished to be driven over to Wyoming

Mills. Paul and Hayes were getting the team ready when three tramps appeared and ordered them to hold up their hands. Foster showed fight and two men came to his relief. The tramps fired a volley killing Paul and Hayes. After pounding Foster about the head the murderers escaped. Officers are searching for them. Foster will probably recover.

AMERICAN CREWS

At Henley On Thames At Their Practice Work In Earnest.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

HENLEY ON THAMES, June 20.—The morning was dull and cloudy with occasional sprinkles of rain. The Yale crew were up early and mastered at the boat house by ten. All are in fine condition. The Trinity hall crew occupies the same boat house and when the Americans started they crowded down to watch them. The bridge was lined with spectators and many experts were noticed timing the Yale crew.

They pulled down stream with a 24 stroke which increased as they neared Temple Island. Bob Cook coached them on horseback accompanied by Armstrong on a bicycle. The water was rather rough and the crew hugged the banks of the shore. Cook continually urged the men to dip deeper and to keep the blades buried. He was terribly in earnest and frequently shook his riding whip as he shouted at the men.

HARVARD'S GREAT TIME.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

POUGHKEEPSIE, June 20.—The chief topic of conversation among rowing men today has been the phenomenal exhibition of speed made by the Harvard Crew over the four mile course.

Harvard's rivals are quite unwilling to believe the crimson men made the time credited to them, but the number of reporters who saw the trial from a launch agree that the time was 19.35 and that two of the miles over which the Varsity pulled as paced by freshmen were made in 9.32.

REVOLTS IN AFRICA.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

CAPE TOWN, June 20.—Dispatches from Bulawayo yesterday show the revolts of natives in the Umtali district of Matabeleland to be of the most serious nature. Bodies of 30 or 40 whites have been discovered already and patrols have been sent to warn settlers who have been ordered to leave at Fort Salisbury which is itself considered to be in danger.

Sir Frederick Carrington is sending reinforcements from Mashonaland and has asked the authorities of Cape Colony to dispatch 200 mounted infantry to the scene of the disturbance.

TURKS ANNIHILATED.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 20.—Advices received from Damascus say the Druses have revolted, and have annihilated four companies of Turkish troops and captured several guns. Twelve battalions of troops will be immediately dispatched from Salonica to Syria.

FINANCIAL

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

NEW YORK MARKET.

(Closing Quotations, 3 p.m.)

Received through the office of A. M. Thaler, 20 Broad Street, New York. Quotations are not exact, being given as near as possible. Exchange for cash to margin. Private tickler.

American Cotton Oil..... 122 1-4

American Tobacco..... 47 3-8

B. & O. Coal & Coke..... 50 1-2

Central of New Jersey..... 16

Chesapeake & Ohio..... 78 1-2

Chicago & Northwestern..... 67 1-2

Chicago Gas..... 18 3-8

Chicago, St. P. & L. Co. 32 5-4

C. & H. Distillers..... 17

Chicago & Rock Island..... 73 1-2

Chicago, St. P. & L. Co. 67 1-2

Del. & Hudson River..... 19 1-2

Del. & L. W. & N. Feed..... 32 5-8

Gen. Electric..... 15 1-2

Lake Shore..... 51 1-2

Manhattan Elevated..... 51 1-2

M. K. & T. Coal & Coke..... 24 1-2

National Lead..... 24

New England..... 97 1-8

Ohio Coal & Iron..... 10 1-2

Pacific Mail..... 14 3-4

Pullman..... 15 1-2

Southern Rail. co. prel. 28 1-4

T. & S. Ry. & W. Ry. 24 1-2

U. S. Leather common..... 19 1-2

Wabash prel. 62 1-2

Wabash & Western..... 17 1-2

Wheeling & Lake Erie..... 34 1-2

Chicago Markets..... 37 1-2

Wheat—July 15-16..... Sept. 50%

Corn—July 15-16..... Sept. 20%

Oats—July 17-18..... Sept. 17%

Pork—July 7-8..... Sept. 7-10

Lard—July 10-11..... Sept. 4-5

Cotton..... Opening..... Closing.....

Jan'y..... 6.83..... 6.88

Morning News Will be Found on Page Four of this Paper.

SECOND ROAD RACE

Held Friday Evening Under the Auspices of the Association Wheelmen.

MANY SPECTATORS WERE ON HAND,

How the Riders Were Handicapped. Good Time Made, Considering the Conditions. Badly Interfered With By Teams. Another Race in Two Weeks.

GRUNNAR SCHOOL.

Lily E. Blanchard, principal. Grade 9.

M. E. Warren, Adelaide M. Fowler; S. J.

Marion Woodward, Elizabeth M. Flynn;

Maude M. Mixer; 6, Maude E. Am-

ason, Gertrude E. Sheldon; 5, Alice M.

Robinson, Mary J. Doyle; 4, Dora A.

Radio; 3, Helen O. Sheldon; 2, Cora A.

Alderman; 1, Bertha L. Hagedorn; as-

sistant in grades 1 and 2, Margaret R.

Smith. Teacher of drawing, Frederick

L. Burnham; teacher of music, E. A.

Tower.

Union Street Church.

Annie E. Read, principal. Grades 7

and 8, Frances E. Browne; 6, Hannah E.

Magnis; 5, Olive L. Slater; 4, Marion

Watson, Cecilia M. Collins; 3, Jessie M.

Orr; 2 and 3, Mary E. Cummings; 2, Har-

riet F. Brooks; Josephine E. Fuller; as-

sistant, Mary Hessie; 1, Nettie E. Stewart;

Eliza Rowan, assistant.

Church Street School.

Mrs. M. E. Conch, principal. Grade 6.

Sarah T. Haskins, Gertrude Hubert; 5,

Anna S. Coyle; 4, Mary A. McConnell; 3,

Sarah E. Bower; 2, Margaret Collins; 1,

Emma H. Tingue, Carolyn B. Raify;

assistant; Susan A. Cleghorn, Marion M.

Fulton, assistant.

East Street School.

Mary A. Hathaway, principal. Grades 3

and 5, Mary A. Hathaway; Elizabeth M.

Mitchell, assistant; 3, Margaret Loftus; 2,

Harriet A. Hathaway; Mary C. Raify;

assistant; 1, Harriet E. Brown; Agnes

Ryan, assistant.

State Street School.

Eva I. Hawkins, principal. Grades 6 and

7, Eva I. Hawkins; 4 and 5, Josephine

Costello; 2 and 3, Ella E. Orr; 1, Alice E.

Bell; 2, Helen L. Wellsby; 3, 4, 5, Mary A. Ketchum, Elizabeth M.

Harrison.

Blackinton School.

W. W. Thomas, principal. Grades 6 and

7, Eva I. Hawkins; 4 and 5, Josephine

Costello; 2 and 3, Ella E. Orr; 1, Alice E.

Bell; 2, Helen L. Wellsby; 3, 4, 5, Mary A. Ketchum, Elizabeth M.

Harrison.

Greylock School.

W. W. Thomas, principal. Grades 6 and

7, Eva I. Hawkins; 4 and 5, Josephine

Costello; 2 and 3, Ella E. Orr; 1, Alice E.

Bell; 2, Helen L. Wellsby; 3, 4, 5, Mary A. Ketchum, Elizabeth M.

Harrison.

Braver School.

Mary M. Sheldon.

Walden District.

Rhoda A. Barnacoat.

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FROM

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NORTH ADAMS, MASS.

An enterprising record of six months in the other world. In this life I know that I never was so happy as to despise a man because he was poor, because he was ignorant, or because he was black.
John A. Andrew

SPECIAL TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Through being a member of the ASSOCIATED PRESS, THE TRANSCRIPT has the exclusive facilities for this locality of the greatest American and foreign news gatherers.

The latest telegraphic dispatches from parts of the world are received by THE TRANSCRIPT UP TO THE HOUR OF GOING TO PRESS.

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"WE HOLD THE WESTERN GATEWAY."

From the Seal of North Adams.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON, JUNE 20, 1896

THE GALLANT "OLD TENTH" IS ON HAND.

To the Tenth Mass. Regiment by the North Adams Transcript.

There's a call to the front
My boys, my boys;
Call to the front,
And what then?A weeping that's dried with lassings of pride
By mother, and sister, and sweetheart and bride,

For the gallant Old Tenth is on hand.

There's a dash and a clash
My boys, my boys;A dash and a clash,
And what then?A murderous yell, a shrieking of shell,
A brig in the spell of a death dealing hell—

But the gallant Old Tenth was of hand.

There's a rally and break
My boys, my boys;A rally and break,
And what then?

A cheering of men from a slaughtering pen.

A regiment forming again and again—

And the gallant Old Tenth yet on hand.

There's a volley and charge
My boys, my boys;A volley and charge
And what then?

Though weary and worn, ranks shattered and torn

A column retired, an army inspired—

By the gallant Old Tenth still on hand.

There's a bloom of roses
My boys, my boys;A bloom of roses,
What then?

Sweet welcome of June from hearts all tune,

To brave men endeared, to heroes revered—

For the gallant Old Tenth is on hand.

There's a roll call aloft
My boys, my boys;A roll call aloft,
And what then?

On a record of gold the story is told;

There glory is found and heroes are crowned—

And the gallant Old Tenth is on hand.

MCKINLEY—THE MAN AND PATRIOT.

One of the best written and one of the most effective outlines in brief that has yet come to our notice of the characteristics of Major McKinley, personal and political characteristics that will give him unbounded popularity with the American people, is from the pen of Albert Halstead, editor of the Springfield Union.

Mr. Halstead attended the St. Louis convention and furnished his paper with a series of valuable telegraphic communications during its session. The close of the series consisted of a brief summary of McKinley's career followed by an estimate of him that evidently was formed from a personal knowledge of the man, which gives added interest and value to it. It was in part as follows,

"Major McKinley's life has been a life of singular activity and success, carved out by himself, advanced by no influence but earned by labor and study, by patriotism and statesmanship. It is a record creditable throughout. In it there is no stain, no action that needs to be excused, nothing that must be defended, no conduct that can be assailed, a manly, courageous, laborious, serious, earnest, thorough, conscientious life, devoted to the service of his country and beautified by a devotion to his wife that is as admirable as it is exceptional.

"Though Major McKinley fought and struggled for every preferment he secured there is nothing unusual in the advance of a young man in America from humble surroundings to leadership—to the presidency. But McKinley's career has been so singularly patriotic, so constantly opposed because of the great principle of protection that he advocated, so serious, so clean, so brilliant and so safe that it is most noteworthy. The distinction just conferred on him was earned.

"Major McKinley's life has not been without its defeats, its bitterness through misrepresentation, its sorrow because of his wife's invalidism, but a full conviction in the propriety, righteousness and importance of the cause which he has largely represented, as well as a courageous belief that the American people would ultimately approve his policy and appreciate his labors for its maintenance, has guided and encouraged him and now he is about to reap the fruits of his life's labor by election to the presidency. The first return for his self sacrifice, for his devotion to country, for his patriotism, for his integrity and for his abilities comes through the nomination just given him.

"It was a selection made by the people three years ago when it became evident to all that the election of Grover Cleveland was a serious error, that the cry of tariff reform was a fraud, that the party which desired to destroy protection was a menace. The people, the workmen, the farmers, the merchants, the capitalists—all joined together in a demand that

overcame the claims of others, some of them of distinguished merit.

"His nomination disregarded the services of several men of statesmanship stature and it was obtained in opposition to the wishes and despite the interferences of some professional politicians. The people were not satisfied until McKinley was named. For several months before the convention it was apparent that McKinley would be the candidate, though some of us worked for New England's greatest man, Thomas B. Reed. Nevertheless the writer, who campaigned with Major McKinley in 1883, who saw how the people revered him, how they longed for a return to his policy of protection, believed from that time that his nomination was inevitable, though for a time it did look as if he might be defeated.

"As a man, developed in intellectual ability, strengthened by experience and study, inspired with belief in the truth and necessity of the policy he advocated, and spurred on by opposition, McKinley is a patriot. Lincoln freed the slaves, McKinley will relieve the country from free trade, from poverty and from depression."

CONTINENTAL UNION.

This one plank in the Republican platform stands above party conflict:

"We hopefully look forward to the eventual withdrawal of the European powers from this hemisphere, and to the final disappearance of the English-speaking part of the continent by the free consent of its inhabitants."

This can be the doctrine of no party. It is the sentiment of the inhabitants of the United States of America. It must sooner or later be the sentiment of every inhabitant of American soil. It is the American doctrine. The idea of a Greater United States, the union of Canada with the United States, a Greater American Republic, is as inspiring as it is certain of realization. —New York Sun (Democratic).

Editor Wright, of the North Adams Transcript makes a very frank and convincing statement in Monday's paper. It is in reply to the report that his brother, Congressman Wright, owns an interest in the Transcript, and therefore the Transcript is bound to advocate his re-election. Editor Wright says his brother has no ownership in the paper and does not even give him the news he might. That he in no way helps or influences the Transcript not even to the extent he might with propriety do.—Pittsfield Sun.

Mr. Crane's action in behalf of the colored delegates at St. Louis last week is winning public recognition and is certain to have its influence on his campaign for Lieutenant governor. The Lynn Republican club has adopted resolutions thanking Mr. Crane for his defense of equal rights, and here at home, the Colored Independent Political association has taken a similar course. People appreciate manliness.—Pittsfield Eagle.

It would seem eminently fitting that our city government should make an appropriation for a good, rousing, patriotic Fourth of July celebration. We should at least have a magnificent display of fireworks on the first great and glorious national holiday of our existence as a city.

For the next few days our citizens will be getting themselves into shape to give a right royal welcome to the 10th regiment veterans at their reunion next Tuesday.

THE EDITOR'S SHEARS.**FOR TODAY.****"OVER THE RANGE."**Little bush maiden, wondering-eyed,
Playing alone in the creek-bed dry,

In the small green flat on every side.

Waited by the Moonbi Ranges high;

Waited by the tale of your lonely life,

'Mid the great gray forests that know no change.

—Delia Caudley, Miss Florence Zutter and Professor Metzler will play a trio fine for violin, organ, and piano in the Congregational church Sunday morning.

Prof. Lee gave an interesting talk and exhibition to the Knights of Pythias at their hall Thursday evening, after the entertainment at the opera house.

—The greater part of the Arnold Print works was shut down today on account of the raising of another smoke stack, which will necessitate the disconnecting of the steam pipes.

—The boys of Drury academy showed their delight over the close of the school bell, directly following the band concert Friday evening.

—Col. W. H. Phillips will give his popular graphophone entertainment at the town hall, Monroe Bridge, next Monday evening, and at the town hall in Rowe Tuesday evening.

—William Beverly of Williamstown was overcome by the heat on Summer street this morning. He was taken to Dr. Mignault's office where he was cared for and in a short time went on his way.

—The barrel of candy contested for at the Notre Dame bazaar Thursday afternoon by the boys and girls of parochial school was won by the boys who generously shared the prize with the girls. The candy brought \$117.

She puzzled awhile with thoughtful face,

Then a light came into the shy brown eye.

And she smiled, for she thought the question strange.

On a thing so certain—"When people die they go to the country over the range."

—And what is this country like my lasso?

—There are blossoming trees and pretty flowers.

—Murry Sanford will take a week's vacation, commencing Monday.

—Donny Lestage is home for the summer vacation from Manlius, N. Y.

—Thomas Boyd is home from Worcester Academy for the summer vacation.

—Howard Williams is home from New York for a vacation.

—Miss Hagedorn and Miss Brigham go to Amherst next Monday to remain a few days, and from there to Laurel Park to attend a summer school.

—Mrs. McKay and daughter of Michigan are in this city visiting her sister, Mrs. Germain of Quincy street.

—Miss Moseley, teacher in the public kindergarten, left today for her home in Worcester. She returns in September.

—C. N. Hammond of Oskaloosa, Iowa, has recently come to this city to reside. Mr. Hammond is in the shoe business and will stock ship from the Sampson Manufacturing company to western cities. His family will arrive the middle of July.

—Bessie Lucyer of East Cliff street is recovering from a recent illness.

—Miss Winifred Barber is in Andover for a few days.

—H. E. Wetherbee entertained the Sunday school teachers of the Congregational church Friday evening at his home.

—Mrs. C. H. Hubble of Chicago is visiting her father, C. H. Reed of Quincy street.

—W. H. Pritchard and family are at the Idlewild for two weeks.

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Christian Endeavor Officers.

At a meeting held Friday evening by the Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational church the following officers were elected for the ensuing six months: President, Julia Porter; vice-president, Josephine Fuller; recording secretary, Jennie Orr; corresponding secretary, Susie Cleghorn; treasurer, Edwin Barnes.

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June
Weddings
And
Commencement Gifts.

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Silver Novelties.
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Watches, Jewelry,
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The largest Stock of the finest quality of goods at the Lowest Prices in the City. The Old and Reliable Wilson Block Jeweler.

L. M. BARNEs,

Agent for the
NUMBER and BARNEs'
Bicycles.

N. H. Arnold,

SucceSSOR to

T. W. Richmond & Co.

is selling

D. & H.
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Coal

At The Same Old Stand.

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The City

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GROCERY

Just Received a new lot of FLOUR of the first quality at the usual LOW PRICE. Order at once so it can be delivered from the car. Be sure and try a ball of my 20c butter.

F. E. BENSON,
Gen Main and Marshall Sts.

F. G. FOUNTAIN,

THE NEW 16 POCKET KODAK.

THE NEW # BULL'S EYE.

Are the favorites and leaders in the race. Popular and pleasant Amateur Photography. No one can afford to do without Good Pictures when they can be obtained with so little trouble and expense.

F. G. FOUNTAIN,
SOCIETY STATIONERY AND
PHOTOGRAPHIC OUTFITS.

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Sarsaparilla

Lydia Pinkham's Compound

80 cents.

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JHN PARKER, Manager.

Hawkeye Camera
For Sale

Extra Fine Lens

\$7.50 cash, Cost \$16.00.

Inquire at this office.

Chairs Caned.

Chairs of all kinds reseated and frames repaired. Furniture repaired, stained and polished. Baskets of all sizes made to order, old baskets repaired at low prices. No charges for transportation of goods. Notify by postal.

John W. Davis, Jones Hill
North Adams, Mass.

SUBURBAN NEWS.

Happenings of Interest in Our Neighbor Towns.

AT ADAMS TODAY.

Pleasant Surprise.

Last evening at the home of Thomas McGinty of Beach street extension, a very successful surprise party was held. At 9:30 about twenty couple marched to the house where William Thomas, in behalf of Forest Park Drum corps and friends presented the host with a beautiful landscape view. Although the host was very much surprised he and two or three others soon had the stove out of the room and dancing was indulged in till an early hour this morning. William Thomas received much applause for the masterly way in which he handled his banjo. Lemonade and cake were served.

Patricia LaRose of Commercial street was sitting near a window in Young's bakery shop last evening when the chain slipped and the young fellow fell through the window but beside a slight cut on the arm he escaped injury.

Misses Carrie Buckley, Sue McCue, Eliza Keenan and Margaret Cope have returned to their home in Rutland, Vt., to spend their vacation.

Mrs. J. M. Burke and daughter are visiting friends in Holyoke for a short time. Miss Dikey Wells of Jewett City, Conn., returned home Friday noon.

George, the fourteen year-old son of Paul Mallory is suffering from a fracture of his ankle. While trying to send his brother John, aged six, home Friday evening the young fellow hit him with a large stone hurting him severely.

There will be a social dance in Hermann Hall Spring street, Saturday evening, June 27. All are invited to attend.

At a meeting of the Forest Park Drum corps Friday evening, Jerry McDonald was chosen treasurer. The drums are expected to arrive today. They are bought from Henry Doll of Spring street.

The Germanic band gave a delightful band Friday evening at Herman Hall Spring street. Quite a large crowd was present.

Superintendent of streets, Whipple, has been fixing up Elm street the past two days and he is complimented on his good work by the residents.

A load of stone was being drawn by a pair of gray horses near E. J. LaFerriere's house on Maple street yesterday afternoon when the horses took fright and started down the road. They were stopped on Park street opposite Dr. Boom's residence.

Miss Carrie E. Field left Friday afternoon for St. Louis, Mo., where she will spend her vacation with her sister.

Miss Cora B. Lomard, formerly teacher in the high school, returned Friday evening from Germany, where she has taken a special course in the German language.

Miss Bessie M. Kennedy of Syracuse, N.Y., is visiting her cousin Mrs. A. H. Streeter.

John Youmans has gone to Oneida, N.Y.

M. J. Curran is visiting friends in Troy, N.Y.

W. C. Phillips, who resides next door to the Methodist church, does good work as a painter and paper hanger. The number of his post office box is 322.

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Mrs. Edgar Noel.

Mrs. Lucy Shorey, wife of Edgar Noel died at her home in Charleville, Wednesday after a short, but severe illness. She was born in Canada twenty-nine years ago. She is survived by her husband and children and many relatives and friends who greatly mourn her death. The funeral occurred this morning at the French Catholic church, Rev. Father Marceaux officiating.

Cushing-Wheeler.

Mr. Cushing of Medford, Mass., and Miss Hattie Wheeler were quietly married at the parsonage of the Congregational church at 12:30 Thursday morning by Rev. Mr. Plas, brother-in-law of the bride, assisted by Rev. William Slade.

Mr. Cushing was a widower of 65 and the bride was about 50 years old. The happy couple will make their home in Medford where Mr. Cushing is in business.

Orton-Greenway.

The marriage of Herbert Orton and Annie Greenway occurred Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The groom was a member of the class of '93 of the high school. He has made his home in North Adams for the past year, where they will make their future home.

Glee Banjo and Mandolin Club.

The Glee Banjo and Mandolin club will give a concert in the Congregational church at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon.

The engagement of Principal H. A. Stoddard to Miss Lillie of Winsted, Conn., has been announced. The wedding will occur in Winsted Monday afternoon.

The high school hall was crowded Thursday evening at the reception. Many out of town people were present. W. E. Foster, '99 sang a bass solo with Miss Gertrude Clark as accompanist. Bells and banquet lamps adorned the room and flowers were artistically arranged on the window seats. Great credit is due the members of the school in endeavoring to beautify the large hall.

The public library will be closed Tuesday because of class day.

Mrs. T. W. Saunders is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Greene, in Berlin, N.Y.

E. J. Boulger, boss dyer at the Boston Finishing works was unfortunate in losing his receipt books recently and would be most grateful if they should be returned to his hands.

E. J. Bunigan has severed his connection with the Boston Finishing works and has accepted a more lucrative position in the east.

D. Joseph Quinn will take a position as clerk in the post office Monday.

C. B. Cook, C. D. Brown and Mrs. John Cole have improved their Main street property by cutting the tall grass.

A new indicator has been placed in the Hose company's room beneath Waterman & Moore's opera house. In the future the company will be able to tell, immediately, the location of a fire before going into the street.

The Graves prize speaking contest will be held this evening in the Congregational church.

Dr. Carter will deliver the Baccalaureate sermon at 10:30 Sunday.

The open air prayer meeting in Mission Park will be held at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

To Rent.—A desirable tenement of four rooms on John Street. Inquire of Thomas Murphy, John street.

ROWE.

The concert at the town hall is to be Friday evening instead of Saturday evening as stated last week.

Fred Browning attended the commencement exercises at the Dickenson academy, Deerfield, Wednesday evening.

H. S. Brown and family of Greenfield, who have been visiting at J. F. Brown's.

About thirty couples attended the dance at Ford's Hall given by Arthur Carley to aid the Cyrus postal route.

Bradley Newell the healer and family is visiting his father and sisters in this town. Mr. Newell is resting preparatory to taking a trip to England with the Ancient and Honorable Artillery company of Boston. He has calls from prominent people on the other side who desire his help.

MONROE BRIDGE.

Mrs. George Nichols of Zylonite visited with her sister Mrs. A. H. Goldthwaite, recently.

F. N. Mason and daughter, Grace of Detroit, Mich., visited at A. H. Goldthwaite's the first of the week.

Jennie Phelps is working for Mrs. E. O. Taylor.

Austin Mason of Zylonite visited with his daughter, Mrs. A. H. Goldthwaite this week.

WEST HALIFAX.

Almeron Bickford received a letter from Hartford, Conn., saying that his daughter, who resides at that place, is critically ill.

W. E. Clark is building a piazza across the front of his house and making other improvements.

W. B. Warren purchased a new horse to work on his team.

At the Republican caucus Saturday night Milton Powers and L. H. Ballou were chosen delegates to the state convention. M. Ballou not being able to go it was left to him to choose a substitute. The caucus was unanimous for Grout.

W. E. Harding returned Friday with his father, Rev. E. W. Harding, from the Poddle Institute of Heights, N.J. She will spend her vacation till September with her parents.

Edward, the only son of Rev. E. W. Harding, was married Monday at New Bedford to Miss Mary Partrin of Mr. Harding who was assisted by Rev. F. S. Stanton of Lawrence.

The Farmus shipped 900 pounds of lime the first three days of the week.

Frank Foster and wife returned today from a drive to Thomaston, Conn., where they have been the past week.

H. C. Bowen will occupy "Greylock Villa" before the first of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller of Berlin, N.Y., are visiting at E. Lockwood's.

The high school alumni met Friday evening at the Academy hall and twenty-four members were present. The following committees were chosen to aid at the reception to be held July 3, at Dean's hall for the graduates. The committee on invitations are Tilie Reynolds, Maud Bryant, and E. L. Ingalls; music committee, L. M. Mabel Blood, and Eddie Donovan; decoration committee, Jessie Cole, Nellie Jaques and Jabez Jenks.

Charles Miller was taken to Northampton asylum for treatment today by Sheriff O'Brien of Adams and Officer D. L. Wood of the place. His family will be cared for by the authorities. The public are in sympathy with this man and his family.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

"Father Time."

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Hodge's band embarked on the steamer S. R. Spaulding. The left wing, composed of the Great Barrington, Shelburne Falls, E. and F. of Springfield and Holyoke companies, Lt. Col. Decker, Quartermaster Howland and Assistant Surgeon Holbrook embarked on the steamer Ben Bedford. The Ben Bedford steamed away first closely followed by the S. R. Spaulding with the full regiment and belongings. It was an enthusiastic scene. The people on the wharves and shipping cheered as also the soldiers in Fort Independence, and the boys on the school ship Massachusetts, while cannons blazed away from all the forts and shipping in the harbor. The regiment arrived in

Washington the following Friday having sailed up the Potomac under the convoy of an armed vessel. This was then the complete roster of the Twelfth regiment.

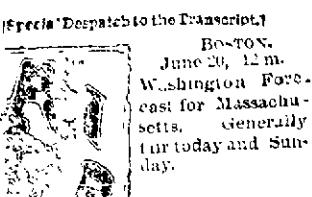
Officers of the Regiment.

Colonel, Henry S. Briggs of Pittsfield; Lieutenant Colonel, Jeffords W. Decker of Lawrence; Major, William R. Marsh of Northampton; Adjutant, Oliver Edwards of Springfield; Quartermaster, John W. Howland of Pittsfield; Surgeon, Cyrus N. Chamberlain of Northampton; Assistant Surgeon, William Holbrook of Palmer; Chaplain, Frederick A. Burton of Springfield; Hospital Stewards, Charles C. Wells of Northampton, Edward R. Wilcox of Springfield.

Officers of the Companies.

Co. A—Captain, Ralph O. Ives of Great Barrington; 1st Lieut., James M. Bacon; Second Lieut., Henry L. Wilcox. Co. B—Captain, Elisha Smart of Adams; First Lieut., Samuel C. Traver; Second Lieut., W. Goddard. Co. C—Captain, Joseph E. Parsons of Northampton; First Lieut., James H. Wetherell; Second Lieut., E. Lovell Shortlef. Co. D—Captain, Thomas W. Clapp of Pittsfield; First Lieut., Charles Wheeler; Second Lieut., George Hagar. Co. E—Captain, Frederick Burton of Springfield; First Lieut., Byron Porter; Second Lieut., Wallace A. Pitman. Co. F—Captain, Hosea C. Lombard of Springfield; First Lieut., Hiriam E. Keith; Second Lieut., George W. Bigelow. Co. G—Captain, Edwin E. Day of Greenfield; First Lieut., George Pierce; Second Lieut., Lorenzo L. Remington. Co. H—Captain, Ozro Miller of Shelburne Falls; First Lieut., Charles I. Woodward; Second Lieut., Benjamin F. Leland. Co. I—Captain, John H. Clifford of Holyoke; First Lieut., Joseph H. Newell; Second Lieut., Joseph H. Bennett. Co. K—Captain, Lucius B. Wakely of Westfield; First Lieut., David M. Chase; Second Lieut., Edwin T. Johnson.

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WEATHER FORECAST.**AT MCKINLEY'S HOME**

The Successful Candidate Receives Many Messages from Friends.

SUPPORT PLEDGED; VICTORY ASSURED

Many Distinguished Callers from All Parts of the Country—Delegations from Neighboring Towns Entiven the Scene at Canton.

Canton, O., June 20.—The telegrams and messages of congratulation with assurances of support and success at the polls next fall are still pouring in at the McKinley residence by the hundreds from all parts of the country. Several enthusiastic delegations, numbering from 100 to 1,000 persons, from neighboring towns, with brass bands and banners, have visited Canton and paid their respects to the republican nominee. Numerous distinguished republicans from a distance have also visited Major McKinley to extend their congratulations and leave their assurances of hearty support. Mrs. McKinley has also received many congratulations at the success of her distinguished husband from women in all parts of the United States. Major McKinley expressed particular hearty satisfaction over the numerous responses from the far west approving his nomination and the platform and promising support. Among the delegations that called at the McKinley residence was a body of commercial travelers representing nearly every state in the union who happened to be gathered in Canton. The delegation was under the command of Capt. H. F. Weston of Pennsylvania, Col. J. H. Kenton of Michigan and Lieut. T. G. Ebersole of Ohio. Capt. Weston presented the club to the major. The losses by theft Thursday night are greater than at first reported. Eleven rifled pocket books were found on the grounds about the house, and one man had a valuable diamond stud torn from his shirt front. A grand reception was accorded the returning Cantonese last night. With delegations from neighboring counties they completely filled the lawn surrounding the McKinley residence. Speeches congratulating Major McKinley were made by spokesmen of the delegations and the major mounted on a dry goods box, with great emotion, fittingly replied. Later the New York McKinley delegates arrived on their way home from St. Louis and complimentary speeches were exchanged. Incidents more or less interesting have not been wanting, as for instance the arrival of J. W. Smith, a colored man of Ohio, who insisted upon seeing the major to present in person an application for a position. He failed to see him, however.

J. B. ROBINSON DROPS DEAD.

Ontario's ex-Lieut.-Governor Expires While Ascending a Platform at a Meeting.

Toronto, June 20.—Hon. John Beverley Robinson, ex-lieutenant-governor of Ontario, dropped dead just as he was stepping on the platform at Sir Charles Tupper's great conservative meeting held in Massey Music Hall last night, which he was to have addressed. The sad occurrence was not made known to more than a dozen persons in the hall and the meeting proceeded in ignorance of the tragic event. Lady Robins died three years ago.

Judgment for a Railroad Company.

Hartford, June 20.—Judge Robinson in the superior court has rendered judgment in favor of the defendant in the suit of John Pinches of New Britain against the Central Railway & Electric company of New Britain. Mr. Pinches sued to recover \$8,000 as special damages because the trolley laid several tracks in front of his residence. The judge finds that there are no special damages accruing to the plaintiff.

Trinity Athletic Association Officers.

Hartford, June 20.—The Trinity College athletic association has elected officers as follows: President, A. M. Longford, '97; secretary, Cook, '98; treasurer, Cartwright, '98; junior director of advisory committee, Secour, '98; sophomore director advisory committee, Baxter, '99; senior director of baseball, Cogswell, '97; manager of baseball team, Cartwright, '98.

Transfer of Connecticut Priests.

Hartford, June 20.—Bishop Tierney has made the following changes of priests: Rev. J. Senecca, formerly of Voluntown, will take charge of St. Anthony's church, Bridgeport; Rev. J. L. Desaulniers of Putnam is promoted to the pastorate of Voluntown; Rev. F. Pappilon of St. Ann's, Waterbury, is transferred to Putnam.

Appointed by Gov. Coffin.

Hartford, June 20.—Gov. Coffin has appointed the following officers in the Second regiment: Assistant surgeon Joseph H. Townsend of New Haven, to be major and surgeon; Dr. F. T. Graves of Waterbury to be assistant surgeon, with rank of first lieutenant.

Suicide of David O'Brien.

Chicago, June 20.—David O'Brien, who committed suicide in his office by asphyxiation, was one of the foremost lawyers in Cook county, but had been dependent for several weeks and had frequently threatened to take his own life.

Struck by a Train and Killed.

Providence, June 20.—Peter Cody, who was struck by a train at Woonsocket, is dead at the hospital here. His father, Stephen Cody of Webster, Mass., has claimed the remains.

New Bank for Saranac Lake.

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DINED BY GOV. MORTON.

Greater New York Commissioners Entertained at Ellerslie.

Rhinecliff, N. Y., June 20.—Gov. Morton entertained at dinner last night at his Ellerslie house the members of the Greater New York commission. The dinner was intended as a social affair, Gov. Morton desiring to bring the commissioners together in a pleasant way and introduce those who were not already acquainted. Just before the dinner was served it was discovered that there were thirteen in the party and the famous "hoo-doo" number alarmed the superstitious guests. Gov. Morton, however, came to the rescue and announced that his daughters, the Misses Mary, Alice and Helen, would grace the banquet board with their presence. Invitations for the dinner had been extended to the fifteen commissioners. Andrew H. Green, who has been called the "Father of Greater New York," was unable to be present, owing to his serious illness. Seth Low sent word that a sprained knee still kept him in doors, and Mayor Wurster of Brooklyn said illness would prevent his attendance. Gov. Morton sat at the head of the table, and at his right hand sat Mayor Strong of New York, and at the left Mayor Gleason of Long Island City. After the dinner the commissioners informally discussed the Greater New York prospects. It was the opinion of those present that there was none too much time in which to complete the labors of the commission and it was agreed that a meeting should be held at the earliest possible moment. Gov. Morton showed his guests about his estate before the dinner. Mayor Gleason was particularly delighted with the place. Standing on the porch and looking over the beautiful scenery he turned to those near him and said: "Think of a man wanting to be president with such a grand place to live. Oh, sure a man's happier here than in the White House."

FIRE BRIGADE.

The International Tournament Successfully Opened in London.

London, June 20.—The International Fire Brigades tournament was successfully opened at the Royal Agricultural Hall, London, last evening. Chief of Hosmer of Massachusetts and Eton of Hartford, Conn., were present on behalf of the International Fire Engineers' association of the United States, and representatives from the New York, Illinois, Michigan and Florida associations were also in attendance. Messrs. Atchison and Litchfield represented respectively the Hamilton, Ont., and the New York fire underwriters. Capt. Simonds of London delivered an address of welcome to the visitors, to which Mr. Litchfield responded. Capt. Beasley introduced Messrs. Benoit and Stevenson of Canada to Capt. Simonds, and the Canadian team drove around the arena and were heartily cheered.

Mr. Benoit in conversation with a representative of the United Press expressed himself as greatly pleased with the reception accorded the visiting delegations. He also said he considered the British departments' steamer and manual work excellent, but did not think their ladder work compared favorably with that of the Canadians.

ONLY ELEVEN KILLED.

Government Report of the Loss Sustained by Rebels at Nafusa Not True.

Havana, June 20.—Private advice from Camaguey are to the effect that the rebel loss in the battle of Nafusa was only eleven killed and forty-nine wounded, instead of 300 killed and wounded as was stated in the official report of the fight. The opinion is gaining ground here that the Spanish reports of a victory were untrue. It is said that Maximo Gomez, the rebel commander-in-chief, is marching towards the railway between Nuevitas and Puerto Principe, his intention being to cut off communication between the two cities. Advice from Manzanillo, province of Santiago de Cuba, show that numerous parties of rebels belonging to the commands of Rabi and Jose Maceo are concentrating in the vicinity of that city. Every precaution is taken by the Spanish commander there to prevent or repulse an attack on the city.

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CHARGED WITH FILIBUSTERING.

Capt. Dickman of the Laundra Arrested and Held Under \$1,000 Bail.

Philadelphia, June 20.—Yesterday afternoon United States Commissioner Bell issued warrants for the arrest of Capt. Dickman of the steamer Laundra and Col. Nunez, the Cuban leader, charging them with conducting a filibustering expedition to Cuba on that vessel. This is the second warrant that has recently been issued for Col. Nunez in this connection. Later in the afternoon Capt. Dickman was arrested in the office of John D. Hart, and at a preliminary hearing before United States Commissioner Bell was held in \$1,000 bail for a further hearing on June 24. Bail was furnished and Capt. Dickman was released. No evidence was offered at the hearing, and it is understood that the principal witness against Capt. Dickman will be the crew of the Laundra. There is little likelihood of the warrant issued for Col. Nunez being served now, as it is more than probable he is on his way to Cuba on a filibuster which sailed recently.

LAURELS FOR LODGE.

The Young Massachusetts Senator Won Honor for Himself at St. Louis.

St. Louis, June 20.—One of the men who has carried off honors at the convention and goes home to his constituents strong in power and prestige is Senator Lodge of Massachusetts. He came here almost a stranger to the republicans of the west. His sturdy manhood and determined and successful fight for the gold standard won him respect and admiration. From the beginning of the fight for sound money he has stood in the front ranks of those who were its champions, and he soon became one of the popular figures of this convention. Wherever and wherever he appeared he received enthusiastic applause, and the gossips predicted that the young senator from Massachusetts will continue a conspicuous figure in the republican national politics.

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Cheyenne, Wyo., June 20.—The action of the Wyoming delegation at St. Louis in refusing to bolt with Colorado, Idaho and other western states meets with almost general approval and praise by the republicans here. Under the instructions voted by the state convention which elected the delegates there was nothing for them to do but to stay in the convention. The instructions as to silver were merely to use all honorable means to secure its recognition in the national platform.

Wassamaker Pleased.

Philadelphia, June 20.—Ex-Postmaster-General Wassamaker, who returned from Europe yesterday, is highly pleased with the nomination of McKinley and Hobart. He said that the nomination of McKinley for president was creditable and proved that the people were anxious for protection. He thought the ticket was an excellent one.

For Stealing a Horse and Carriage.

Hartford, June 20.—The suit of Eliasha Carpenter, ex-judge of the supreme court, against the Hartford Street Railroad company was argued on a demurrer before Judge Robinson in the superior court yesterday. Judge Carpenter sued to recover \$10,000 for a broken hip.

Milwaukee Car Strike Declared Off.

Milwaukee, Wis., June 20.—The street railway boycott at an end. It was formally declared off last night by President James Flirt of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employees; that is, it was declared off so far as it was within his power to do so. He said this morning that his organization has discontinued running busses and no longer asks the public to refrain from riding in the cars.

Owego McKinleyites Ratify.

Owego, N. Y., June 20.—A rousing meeting was held in the Wilson Opera house last evening. Congresswoman G. W. Ray of Norwich addressed the assemblage.

Big McKinley Meeting at Binghamton.

Binghamton, N. Y., June 20.—A rousing meeting was held in Stone Opera house last evening to ratify the nomination of McKinley and Hobart. Great enthusiasm prevailed.

Utah Bolters Upheld at Home.

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HANNA THE LEADER

His Election as National Committee Chairman Was Expected.

NEW YORK CITY TO BE HEADQUARTERS

The Resolution Making the Ohio Manager Also Chairman of the Executive Committee Came as a Surprise and Is a New Venture.

St. Louis, June 20.—The election yesterday of Mark Hanna as chairman of the new republican national committee was no surprise, but the resolution making the chairman of the national committee ex-officio chairman of the executive committee is a new departure. It is said to have been suggested by Mr. Hanna himself. It has always been the custom in the national and state committees of all parties to elect a party leader as chairman of the executive committee, but this year Mr. Hanna will take the lead in all matters in the campaign. After Mr. Manley had called the national committee together yesterday it was announced that Senator Quay had positively refused to permit his name to be used in connection with the chairmanship. Then, on motion of Committeeman Payne of Wisconsin, seconded by Pennsylvania and New York, Mr. Hanna was unanimously elected chairman of the committee. J. H. Manley had been the temporary secretary, James S. Burke of Pennsylvania, assistant secretary, and Col. H. L. Swords of Indiana was re-elected sergeant-at-arms. Behind closed doors there was an animated discussion of the question of the location of the permanent headquarters for the campaign. Chairman Hanna wanted the headquarters in Cleveland, but there was an emphatic protest by the members from the east and south. They warned Mr. Hanna that the Ohio idea could be carried to Chicago also made a bid for headquarters. But the vigorous objections of the committees from New England and the south convinced Mr. Hanna, and he finally agreed that the headquarters should be located in New York city. The only formal action taken in reference to the matter was to refer it to the executive committee when appointed, but after the meeting had adjourned it was stated by several members of the committee who were in attendance that the question is as good as settled, and New York, as usual, be the campaign headquarters. The next meeting will probably be held in New York city after Chairman Hanna has consulted with his candidates and appointed his executive committee. Cornelius N. Bliss of New York will probably be reappointed treasurer of the committee if he will accept the place.

REPUBLICAN EMBLEM.

Chairman Hanna Recommends the Design Presented by Mrs. Strong.

St. Louis, June 20.—The following, addressed to the republican party of the United States, has been received for publication: "In recognition of the courtesy of Mrs. H. W. Strong of Los Angeles, Cal., in presenting to the republican national convention through its chairman and the chairman of each state, the adopted republican emblem of 1892, made of California pampas plumes, the only American product cultivated for the beautiful, I do hereby recommend to the party the use of this emblem, in red, white and blue pampas, mounted fan shape, for a staff or parades and interior decorations. MARK HANNA, Chairman."

WHITNEY WILL ATTEND.

Agrees To Go to the Democratic Convention at Saratoga as a Delegate.

New York, June 20.—J. W. Hinckley, chairman of the democratic state committee, said this morning that he had talked with William C. Whitney, and that the latter had agreed to go as a delegate to the state convention at Saratoga. Mr. Hinckley further said that he favored the election of Mr. Whitney as chairman of the convention, and that he will urge Mr. Whitney very strongly to accept the position and make a speech voicing the sentiment of this state on the emergency question. Mr. Hinckley expressed a belief that the coming convention at Saratoga will be one of the most representative in the history of the party.

Bank Clearings.

There is a moderate increase in bank clearings throughout the United States, which amount to \$1,038,000,000 this week, an increase of 10 per cent over the preceding week, but a decrease of 35 per cent, as compared with the corresponding week of year ago. When contrasted with the third week of June, 1894, the period of extreme depression after the panic in 1893, this week's increase is 22 per cent; when compared with the clearings for the like week in 1893 the current week's total is nearly one-half of 1 per cent, larger, and as compared with the like total in 1892 6 per cent, larger. Something more encouraging is the report that prices of only four of the more important staples have reacted this week, wheat, lard, sugar and barb wire. Practically unchanged quotations are recorded for wheat flour, oats, coffee, print cloths, leather, iron and steel, while there are advances for Indian corn, pork, cotton, petroleum and spirits of turpentine.

KRUGER'S DEMAND.

Wants Great Britain To Bring Cecil Rhodes and Others To Trial.

Cape Town, June 20.—The secretary of state for the Transvaal has telegraphed to the British high commissioner here saying that having in view the welfare and